California Public Utilities Commission Consumer Service and Information Division

Energy Industry

Consumer Contacts that Require Enhanced Processing Presented by Utility Company, Category and Subcategory January 2017

This report presents a subset of total consumer contacts reported in Table 1. This data represents consumer contacts that require enhanced processing for resolution of consumers' complaints. These cases are known as Informal Complaints (ICs) and are sent to the appropriate utility for investigation. The utility must respond to the CPUC and address the allegations of the complaint. The following table reports the ICs by utility company and the nature of the complaint by category and the more specific subcategory.

Table 2 - Energy Industry Contacts: The companies listed in the table are organized in alphabetical order. Companies' names in this list may not reflect the company name under which services are marketed to the consumer.

Utility Code	Utility Name	Category	Subcategory	Count
ELC909	Anza Electric Co-operative, Inc.	Billing	Other Charges	1
	. ,	- J	Total ICs	1
ELC913	Golden State Water Company	Service	Outage	1
			Total ICs	1
ELC933	Liberty Utilities (CalPeco	Service	Outage	1
	Electric), LLC		Total ICs	1
ELC39,	Pacific Gas & Electric Company	Billing	Bill Adjustment	6
GAS39,		Billing	Bill Not Received	1
MUL39,		Billing	Crossed Meter Billing	1
STM39		Billing	Deposits	1
		Billing	Disputed Customer of Record	4
		Billing	High Bill	37
		Billing	Meter Inaccuracy	1
		Billing	Other Charges	3
		Billing	Payment Arrangements	2
		Billing	Payment Error	1
		Policy and Practices	Abusive Marketing	3
		Policy and Practices	Safety	3
		Public Purpose Programs	CARE Recertification	2
		Public Purpose Programs	Net Energy Metering (NEM)	2
		Service	Delayed Orders/Missed Appointments	3
		Service	Disconnection Non Payment	1
		Service	Outage	10
		Service	Refusal To Serve	3
		Service	Voltage Levels	1
			Total ICs	85
ELC901	Pacificorp	Billing	High Bill	1
		Policy and Practices	Safety	1
			Total ICs	2

Utility Code	Utility Name	Category	Subcategory	Count
ELC902,	San Diego Gas & Electric	Billing	Bill Not Received	2
GAS902,	Company	Billing	Estimated Billing	1
MUL902,		Billing	High Bill	4
STM902		Billing	Other Charges	1
		Billing	Payment Arrangements	1
		Policy and Practices	Safety	1
		Public Purpose	CARE Recertification	2
		Programs	OAKE Receitification	
		Public Purpose	Net Energy Metering (NEM)	1
		Programs	<u> </u>	•
			Total ICs	13
ELC338,	Southern California Edison Company	Billing	Backbilling	1
GAS338,		Billing	Bill Adjustment	5
MUL338		Billing	Bill Not Received	4
		Billing	Deposits	8
		Billing	Disputed Customer of Record	4
		Billing	Estimated Billing	2
		Billing	High Bill	12
		Billing	Late Payment Charge - LPC	2
		Billing	Other Charges	4
		Billing	Payment Arrangements	4
		Billing	Payment Error	1
		Policy and Practices	Safety	3
		Policy and Practices	SMART METER	1
		Public Purpose Programs	CARE Recertification	2
		Public Purpose Programs	Net Energy Metering (NEM)	1
		Service	Delayed Orders/Missed Appointments	3
		Service	Disconnected In Error	1
		Service	Outage	12
		Service	Voltage Levels	2
			Total ICs	72
GAS904	Southern California Gas	Billing	Disputed Customer of Record	1
	Company	Billing	Estimated Billing	1
		Billing	High Bill	7
		Billing	Payment Arrangements	1
		Policy and Practices	Abusive Marketing	1
		Service	Delayed Orders/Missed Appointments	2
		Service	Disconnected In Error	1
		Service	Disconnection Non Payment	4
			Total ICs	18
GAS905	Southwest Gas Corporation	Billing	Other Charges	1
		Service	Disconnection Non Payment	1
			Total ICs	2
			Total ICs Sent 1	195

¹ Due to the carryover of cases received in previous months, there are slight differences between the total number of ICs sent to the utilities and the number of written contacts received in a month.